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Title : Regarding installation of Martyr's column of August Revolution at Bolpur-station, West Bengal.

DR. RAM CHANDRA DOME (BIRBHUM): Thank you, Mr. Speaker, Sir. I want to bring to the notice of the House through you, particularly, to the notice of our Railway Minister, Shri Laluji.

Sir, as you are aware, the historic August Movement of 1942 is a glorious part of freedom movement of our country. The people from all sections of society of Bolpur Shantiniketan area of Birbhum district of West Bengal had actively participated in the Movement. They had launched an all out Civil Disobedience Movement on 29th August, 1942 which has been marked in the history with golden letters. Several freedom fighters had laid their lives by the bullets of the British Police leaving hundreds injured on that day in and around the Bolpur Railway Station area. The demand of the people of Birbhum, specially, of Bolpur under the platform of 1942 Shahid Samarak Committee is for setting up of a Martyr's column at the Bolpur-Station area to commemorate the heroes of the historic August Movement.

Sir, I urge upon the Government, particularly, the Railway Minister to look into the matter to meet this demand. Thank you.

MR. SPEAKER: Yes, No. 26. How many can I allow today?

(श्री लालू प्रसाद) : हम माननीय सदस्य के नोटिस को ग्रहण करते हैं। स्वतंत्रता सेनानियों के सम्मान में जो माननीय सदस्य का सुझाव है, रेलवे उसकी व्यवस्था करेगी और उन्हें सम्मानित करेगी।

MR. SPEAKER: I should thank you. It is my constituency. Thank you very much.